

THE WEEKLY GRAPHIC

T. E. SUBLETTE, Proprietor.

KIRKSVILLE, MISSOURI.

FRIDAY, APRIL 19

—Are you trying to arouse an interest in the shoe factory.

—Farm products continue to advance and the farmers are greatly encouraged.

—A pickle factory is one of the new industries that is receiving encouragement in Kirksville.

—The park needs attention, and our mayor's attention is respectfully called to its present condition.

—One enterprising firm of our city has signified its intention to subscribe \$400 in cash toward securing the shoe factory.

—Don't think for one moment that old established industries will locate in Kirksville if we do not work to get them.

—The city authorities should see that all boxes, barrels and other rubbish are removed from the streets and alleys.

—The crusade against dirty and filthy streets should begin at once, and never let up until Kirksville has made a record for cleanliness.

—Both of our railroads are willing to subscribe liberally toward securing the location of the Standard Shoe Company at Kirksville.

—The Democratic party would like to have silver made the chief issue in the contest of 1896. But it will not be done. Protection to American industries will be the chief issue and Democratic opposition cannot sidetrack it. When the industries of the country are taken care of, money will find little trouble in taking care of itself.

—Last week the county court refused an old couple the small sum of \$4.00 per month, when it costs more than twice that amount to keep them at the poor farm. It is all right for the county court to be economical, but this is not the sort of economy the people want.

—One of the great features of the Cotton States and International Exposition will be the electric fountain, authorized at a recent meeting of the Executive Committee of the Exposition Company. The fountain will be designed by Mr. Luther Stinger, who designed the electric fountain at the World's Columbian Exposition, and who is one of the foremost electrical engineers in the world. It is proposed to have the fountain rise from the middle of the grand basin, in front of the Machinery and Forestry buildings. From this point it will be visible all over the Exposition grounds, and the effect produced by columns of water with infinite variety of color and brilliance will be exceedingly beautiful.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT)

Washington, April 15, 1895.

The pressure on the administration, to do something to head off the silver stampede which seems to have seized the democratic party, is daily growing stronger. Mr. Cleveland is perfectly willing to do anything to prevent the capture of the democratic party by the silver men, but up to this time he has been unable to decide what he ought to do. At first he was disposed to try to stop the movement by going to Chicago and making an anti-silver speech, which should rally the Cleveland democrats around the single gold standard, and the arrangements were made to have him invited to do so by a committee of alleged non-partisan business men of Chicago; but later he became doubtful as to that plan, and has given considerable consideration to a project suggested by a member of the Cabinet for the writing of a series of letters by himself and all the members of the Cabinet, to be made public by those who received them and to be used as weapons against the silver phalanx of the democratic party. Other plans have also been considered, but nothing has yet been definitely settled upon.

Meanwhile, Senator Roach, of North Dakota, who is a silver democrat, fires this broadside right under Mr. Cleveland's nose, so to speak: "I am glad to see the Illinois State Central commit-

tee takes the initiative in sounding the democracy of that State on the silver question. We have got to meet the issue of silver in the next national convention, and we might as well hear from the various states now as not. The Illinois scheme is a good one, and I hope to see other States fall into line and adopt the same plan." That is treason against Mr. Cleveland on the part of Mr. Roach, for he must have known when he made those remarks that the administration was bitterly opposed to the Illinois scheme, and that Hon. William R. Morrison (Horizontal Bill) is now in that State, at the request of Mr. Cleveland, trying to lay plans to prevent the convention declaring for free coinage.

Secretary Hoke Smith likes Washington so well that he wants to step from the Cabinet to the U. S. Senate on March 4, 1897, and he is now engaged in pulling the wires which he thinks will accomplish that purpose. One of the principal drawbacks to the accomplishment of Secretary Smith's ambition is that Senator Gordon has shown no willingness to retire. On the contrary, he is credited with desiring to succeed himself, if the democrats can retain control of the Georgia legislature. An attempt was made to make a deal for the election of Gordon to be governor and Smith to the Senate, but Gordon refused to enter it. Ex-Speaker Crisp is also willing to go to the Senate.

Secretary Morton's serious announcement of his intention to use the machinery of the Department of Agriculture to make an investigation in order to ascertain if there is a beef trust, which is responsible for the recent sudden and continuing rise in the price of beef, is enough to bring a smile to the face of the face of the most solemn cow. If Mr. Morton was honest in making that announcement his ignorance is greatly to be deplored, as it is a fact well known to thousands that there is a beef trust, composed of the big meat packers, which has for some time been slowly but surely forcing the local butchers in all towns of considerable size out of business, in order that the trust could dictate prices without fear of local opposition. That time has apparently come, and the trust is putting on the screws. There is an anti-trust law, which might be used to annoy the beef trust, even if nothing more could be done under its provisions, if Attorney General Olney so willed. But the administration is apparently satisfied to let the case rest on Secretary Morton's promise to investigate. Meanwhile, the people can choose between paying the prices demanded by the trust or stopping their beef supply.

To-day is the last day upon which returns can be made without penalty by those who are liable for the judicially masculated income tax, and orders have been sent out that all those who fail are to be immediately proceeded against by the collectors of the internal revenue, but at one time the Cabinet had under consideration the advisability of suspending the collection of the tax until the Supreme Court had passed upon its constitutionality with a full bench, and it is said that it would have been suspended had not Secretary Carlisle insisted upon the necessity of getting as much money as possible out of the tax, even if some of it should have to be paid back under a later decision of the Supreme Court. It is regarded as certain that the case will in the near future be reargued and a decision reached by a full bench. There is great relief in administration circles over the unofficial statement that Nicaragua has reached a satisfactory settlement with England, and hopes that it will soon be officially confirmed. There was a dread that Nicaragua might defy England and call on this country to live up to the Monroe doctrine. That, as ex-Congressman Everett would say, would have deposited somebody in a cavity.

Advertised Letters.

Letters remaining in the Post-office, April 8, 1895, will be sent to the dead letter office at the expiration of 30 days.

Saw Bell, Harrison Hendricks, S. Sewright, N. G. Mason, Jno. Powell. April 15.—J. M. Baird.

When calling for these letters please say advertised.

D. C. PIERCE, P. M.

Weather-Crop Bulletin.

COLUMBIA, Mo., April 16, '95.

Although the first few days were quite cool—especially in the central and southern sections, the mean temperature of the week ending Saturday, April 13th, was about 4 degrees above the normal for the state, the greatest excess occurring in the northwest section and the least in the southeast section. Light frost occurred in a few localities but no damage is reported.

The precipitation was of a local character and decidedly below a seasonal average in all sections. The average rainfall for each section was as follows: Northwest .09 inches; northeast, .25 inch; central, .16 inch; southeast, .24 inch, and southwest, .63 inch. A good, soaking rain is badly needed in the central and northwest sections.

The conditions were unusually favorable for the advancement of farm work and plowing for corn has progressed rapidly, with the soil in excellent condition. Planting has commenced in the northern, and is well under way in the central and southern counties.

In many of the central and most of the northwestern counties the continued dry weather has seriously retarded the growth of grasses and small grains, but in other sections they are coming on finely, and stock are being put on pasture.

Flax is about all sown in the southwestern counties and is coming up well.

Peaches, pears, plums, cherries and apricots are in full bloom except in the extreme northern districts, and the prospect for fruit of all kinds (peaches, in some localities, excepted,) continues good. Many correspondents report that peaches were not as seriously injured as at first supposed.

Chinch bugs are making their appearance in a number of counties.

The Art of Making One's Own Dresses.

It isn't every woman who possesses that peculiar quality which distinguishes those who seem "to the manner born," in the matter of making, or directing, their own dresses, and it is the members of this class who will find pleasurable reading in the April number of the "Standard Delineator." The article on "Fashions and Fabrics" tells what is latest and prettiest in styles and materials, and that on "Dress Trimmings and Accessories" illustrates how may be utilized to the best advantage. Careful attention to coming styles in millinery is given, and the bride-to-be will find much to interest her in "The Trousseau a la Mode." The woman whose circumstances or inclinations prompt her to consider the advisability of remaking her garments will find many valuable hints in the "Remodeling the Easter Wardrobe," and the work in "Fancy Work" will be able to obtain useful ideas from the article under that head. Some pretty designs for rainy weather costumes that may be made at home by deft fingers are also shown. Published by Standard Fashion Company, 242 W. 14th St., New York, at one dollar per year.

Resolution of Respect.

The following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted by Paulville Lodge 319 A. F. and A. M., in memory of our deceased brother, Waterman Reed, who died at his residence near Wilson, Adair Co., Mo., on 29th day of March 1895.

Whereas God in his allwise providence has seen fit to call our beloved brother, Waterman Reed, from the lodge here below to that temple above, not made with hands, eternal in the heavens, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That in the death of Brother Reed this lodge has lost a true worker, one who in all good masculine work and charities stood first in duty, and while we deplore his loss, we hope our loss has been his gain.

RESOLVED, That we extend the sympathy of this lodge to the family of the deceased brother in their loss of a kind husband and father.

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records and deposited in the Archivers of the Lodge.

J. A. CLARK } Com

J. N. McCREERY }

Nothing but constant trust in God can give us perfect rest.

Gibbs Gossip

Several parties delivered hogs here Saturday.

Lorenzo Gunning is very ill with pneumonia at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. Davis and family of Brashear, spent Sunday at Olden Pierce's.

Saturday was a busy day with our merchants. All reported a good trade.

J. Taylor, Wm. Barnhill and M. L. Ridge were in Brashear one day last week on business.

S. Hamilton & Son, of Wilson, were in town Tuesday. They will build a ware room to their store room soon.

Miss Ella Boone opened a stock of millinery goods in Gibbs Bros. store last week. Ladies give her a call.

Dan Huston declares that it rained before 12 o'clock Sunday night. We feel sorry for you Dan, if we have seven rainy Sundays.

We understand that Gibbs Bros. will adopt the strictly cash or produce basis this week. Now look out for the lowest prices ever heard of.

There is some talk of a new church building here soon. This is something very much needed here. We ought to have preaching at this place every Sunday.

Ladies call in at Gibbs Bros. store Saturday and see those elegant slippers for \$1.00 Regular price \$1.35. Large line of latest styles to select from.

Green Grove Items

Wheat looks fine.

Oats are up nicely.

Wm O'Brien planted five acres of corn last week.

There is quite a large amount of corn ground plowed.

The prospect is more favorable than for several years.

Rev. McKee is still holding meeting at Shibleys' Point.

The endeavor society at the Grove is prospering nicely.

There was quite a scrap at Mr. Fox's last Saturday night; we did not learn the particulars.

James Brownell has moved to Mystic, Iowa.

John Weilman is going into the merchandise business in Putnam county, near Levanon.

John Braden has returned home from Downing, where he has been teaching for several months.

Mr. John Rogers and wife of Brashear, were visiting in this community last week.

Wilson Items.

R. Gunning is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Waterman Reed has moved to the home of her brother, C. W. Ingram.

Jas. A. Long, of Kirksville, has rented the Reed farm and will take possession immediately.

J. J. Sublette was called to Hunnewell last week on account of illness of an old friend.

Arthur Barrows left here Monday to go to the mountains in Montana for the benefit of his health.

The sale of the estate of Waterman Reid last Friday was well attended, and property sold at good prices.

Miss Bertha Barrows has returned home after being absent since last September attending school in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Greggs, of Hedge City, visited with Perry Vandiver and family from Saturday till Monday of this week.

List of Patents.

Granted to Missouri Inventors this week. Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Solicitors of American and Foreign Patents, Opp. U. S. Patent Office, Washington, D. C.

H. S. Albrecht, St. Louis, Self-oiling journal-bearing; A. M. Beinke, St. Louis, Building-molding; A. F. Cook, St. Louis, Liquid-mixing machine; L. J. Creelius, St. Louis, Casting metals; J. F. Evans, Blodgett, Rein-support; W. A. Foresman, St. Joseph, Sample display case; M. Gair, St. Louis, Curtain-ring; J. M. Graham, Culver, Pruning implement; P. H. Mellon, St. Louis, Folding-bed; P. J. Pauly, St. Louis, Shelf-roller; J. W. Raynor, Sedalia, Torpedo-setter; J. R. Storey, St. Louis, Tailor's measure; A. C. Thompson, St. Louis, Insulating compound; R. Toennes, Boonville, Fence post; W. J. Tynon, De Soto, Door-check; B. F. Venable, Columbia, Stove front; F. A. Young, Richmond, Vehicle-brake.

Brashear Items.

Eliza Walter's little daughter is very sick.

Mrs. D. F. McClay spent Sunday in Kirksville.

Mac Hannah and wife spent Sunday in Kirksville.

Miss Bee Davis is attending school in Quincy.

Mr. Sol Roger's have a fine ten pound boy at their house.

The Doctor reports considerable sickness around the country.

The creamery building will soon be finished and ready for business. Mr. Cook and wife of Edina, were in Brashear Monday on business.

There was quite a large delivery of fruit trees and shrubbery made here last Thursday.

Miss Maude Ewing visited the family of Mr. Church, in the country over Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Crossgrove and Mrs. Morna Woods were married April 10th by the Rev. Capps.

Mr. Preston Conway and family who moved to Indiana in January moved back here one day last week.

Mr. Arlie Easley and Miss Jessie Malone were married April 14, at the M. E. parsonage by the Rev. A. M. Molesworth.

The boys gave them a lengthy chivvarie; we think it is about time that heathenish custom was done away with. Mr. Crossgrove refused to treat the crowd and we think he was about right.

Obituary.

Ivie M. McKeehan was born at Sublette, Mo., November 1, 1882. She died at the home of her parents on California street, Ft. Madison, Io., March 30, 1895, aged 13 years, 4 months and 28 days. The fatal illness was very brief, and was well nigh hopeless from the first.

Ivie was loved by all who knew her. Thoughtful and unselfish, even in the face of death she strove to comfort the sorrowing ones and was kindly courteous to those who gathered about her side. Kind in spirit and affectionate in disposition, she had always a pleasant word for every acquaintance. She will be sorely missed in the family circle, for she was her parents' comfort and the favorite of her brothers and sisters.

Her life was brief, but not in vain. The longest life is successful only as it executes the will of God. Happy, then, is that servant to whom the Master shall say in the early morning: "It is enough."

Lightly fold the dimpled hands
Across the pulseless breast,
Lightly close the laughing eyes
Ivie is at rest.

Lightly angels bore her
From this world of sin,
Lightly opened the gates so heavy,
Ivie entered in.

Lightly let your foot-steps pass
Above the hallowed sod;
Ivie sleepeth here below,
But her spirit is with God.

Pleasure and Profit.

The value of the Poultry produced annually in the United States exceeds \$400,000,000 which is 20 per cent greater than the value of the wheat product, or in two years is equal to our national debt. The poultry industry of Missouri ranks with her most important branches of live stock in value of product. Poultry is not only the home-maker's best friend, in providing many of the luxuries that make "life worth living," but often in emergencies has yielded the revenue necessary for paying taxes, etc. In the past this industry, the importance of which the late census well proves, has been considered of little moment and has played its important part in our domestic economy without encouragement. With this record to her credit, under past conditions, does not the old hen prove well her claim of worthlessness for consideration as a wealth producer? There is much pleasure and profit in the study of higher poultry culture. A handsomely printed and illustrated monthly, the Midland Poultry Journal, by E. B. Harrington & Co., Kansas City, Mo., published in the interests of the farmer, market, grower and fancier, and in which there is now running a series of illustrated articles by Franklane Jewell, America's greatest poultry artist, on the popular and practical breeds of the day, each issued for 50 cents a year. Sample copy for a postal card.

Boy's knee pants at 15 cts., at THE FAMOUS.

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Real estate bought and sold.
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Bring you business to my office. Prompt and satisfactory attention guaranteed.

J. C. CAROTHERS.

A Correction.

MR. EDITOR—Please allow me to make a correction in the GRAPHIC of April 5th, 1895.

It is stated concerning the decision of the Supreme Court of this state in the matter of the U. E. church property, that in the States mentioned in that article, that the radicals or those remaining loyal to the Constitution of 1841, were the ones which brought suit. It is a mistake. The Liberals are the parties that sued.

Now while the supreme courts in a few states have decided in favor of the Liberal branch, Michigan and Canada have decided in favor of the Radicals, and also Oregon but on a re-hearing was a tie. In other states where cases have been tried in the lower courts nearly all have been decided in favor of the Radicals or those who maintain the distinctive principles of the U. B. church.

Respectfully,

A. J. GARLOCK.

The "Silent Steed" Holds the Lead.

If you are a devotee of the bicycle you can neither hear too much nor say too much in its favor; and if you are just learning to ride a wheel, or are thinking about doing so, naturally you are desirous of knowing all you can of the experience and opinions of those who have become experts. Everybody rides a "silent steed," or, from present indications, will before the summer is over, therefore everyone will be interested in "What are the Benefits of Bicycling?" published in Demorest's Magazine for May in which such enthusiastic advocates of cycling as Dr. Edward Payson Fowler, Dr. A. Conyn Doyle, David Christie Murray, and Dr. Grace Peckham Murray give their views regarding it. 'Tis interesting reading, and conveys convincing arguments in favor of the wheel for both sexes.

A handsomely illustrated article in the same number is "A Day at Pompeii," written by an artist-photographer whose charming story of a day spent in the buried city is embellished by pictures made from photos taken by himself. A study from life, "The Newsboys of New York," also very fully illustrated, gives unique and interesting information about the waifs who sell papers in the metropolis. Demorest's Magazine is published for only \$2 a year, by W. Jennings Demorest, 15 East 14th St. New York.

Notice of Final Settlement

State of Missouri, }
County of Adair, } ss.

Final settlement of the estate of William Hawkins, deceased. Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of William Hawkins, deceased, that I, James B. Hawkins, administrator of said estate, intend to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the probate court of Adair county, to be held at Kirksville, on the 13th day of May, 1895.

JAMES B. HAWKINS, Adm'r.

WANTED---SALESMAN.

We want a few men to sell a Choice Line of Nursery Stock. We cannot make you rich in a month but can give you steady employment and will pay you well for it. Our prices correspond with the times. Write for terms and territory to THE HAWKS NURSERY CO., Milwaukee, Wis.

Eggs for Hatching—If you want pure Brown Leghorn eggs from the best strain in the city, call on or address R. W. MEARS.

New Carpets in great variety at THE FAMOUS.

The Dakota Hot Springs.

The Hot Springs of Arkansas have long been deservedly popular for the reason that there has been no other place that has filled the requirements of both a health and a pleasure resort. This state of affairs has changed. The Hot Springs of South Dakota have in recent years, been thrown open to the people, and because of their delightful situation and great curative qualities, are becoming more popular every day. Situated as this resort is, in the famous Black Hills, in the midst of beautiful mountain scenery, possessing that peculiar balsamic atmosphere which is in itself health giving, with waters that are pronounced by experts equal if not superior to those of any other mineral springs in the world, it will soon outrank any other like resort.

The hotel accommodations are of the best—hostelries with all the modern improvements and conveniences. The Evans Hotel, built of pink sand stone, with steam heat, electric lights, and every room outside one, is easily the best conducted house between Chicago and Denver. Fine bath houses are connected with the best hotels. The rates of all the hotels are very reasonable. The surrounding country is more than picturesque—it is wonderful. The marvelous "Wind Cave," the ruins of Fall River, Battle Mountain, the old Indian battle ground; Deadwood and the gold fields; and the famous Bad Lands are all within driving distance. The mammoth plunge bath at the Springs is noted as being one of the largest natatoriums in the world. So healthful are the surroundings, and so many the conveniences of this "Carlsbad of America," that it is rapidly becoming the "Mecca," not only for invalids, but for pleasure seekers as well. The "Burlington Route" reaches there in a day and a half from St. Louis. Pullman sleepers and free chair cars on train No. 15 run to Lincoln, and from Lincoln free chair cars and sleepers run through to the springs.

For further information, call on any "Burlington Route" Agent, or address D. O. Ives, G. P. and T. A., St. Louis, Mo. 2w

National Education Association Meeting.

DENVER, COLO., July 5 to 12, '95. For this occasion the Wabash Railroad has made a rate of one fare for the round trip to Denver plus \$2.00, added for membership fee.

For full particulars in regard to this meeting, time of trains, rates, route, etc., call upon or write to any representative of the Wabash R. R., or connecting lines, or C. S. CRAIG,

Gen'l Pass. & Tkt. Agt., Wabash R. R., St. Louis, Mo.

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Pills that I received anything like permanent benefit. A single box of these pills did the work for me, and I am now a well man."

C. H. HUTCHINGS, East Auburn, Me.

For the rapid cure of Constipation, Dyspepsia, Bileousness, Nausea, and all disorders of Stomach, Liver, and Bowels, take

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Metal and Diploma at World's Fair. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Sarsaparilla.